

Overview

Our Privacy and Cybersecurity lawyers are uniquely positioned to operate at the intersection of technology and law. We understand that data is one of your core assets. Data drives insights and enables development of valuable new products and services.

However, the collection, use and storage of personal information is subject to an increasingly complex matrix of laws and regulations. The Privacy Act in Australia imposes detailed requirements around the collection, storage and use of data. The Australian Spam Act applies to electronic communications. Similar regimes apply in the US, EU, Canada, Asia, and around the world. Monetary penalties for violating these laws are severe and reputational damage can be irreparable.

Leverage our knowledge of these requirements to design real-world strategies to unlock the power of your data while building trust in your brands. We work with you to enhance disclosures, strengthen compliance and implement integrated risk management programs that create a strong control environment as a springboard for innovation.

In addition to proactive counselling, we contribute our strategic insight when you need to respond to crises. For example, we work side by side with clients to manage data breaches by directing forensic analysis, remediating vulnerabilities, understanding legal requirements and coordinating communications with people whose information was compromised.

Our global Privacy and Cybersecurity group works across all sectors offering a full complement of counselling and advice, regulatory and litigation services.

Areas of Experience

- Data security breach and cybercrime
- Global data transfer solutions
- Compliance with local privacy and spam laws
- Privacy policies and notices
- Information governance and records management
- Privacy impact assessments and risk management
- Security policies and bring your own device (BYOD)
- Government and law enforcement data requests
- Public sector issues and freedom of information
- Digital media privacy and CRM strategy
- Outsourcing and HR solutions
- Litigation and e-discovery

- Mergers and acquisitions

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